For the Children.

Room at the Top.

Never you mind the crowd, lad,
 Nor fancy your life wont tell;
The work is done for all that,
 To him who doeth it well.

Fancy the world a hill lad,
 Look where the millions stop;
You'll find the crowd at the base, lad;
 But there's always room at the top.

Courage, and faith, and patience!
 There is space in the old world yet;
You stand a better chance, lad,
 The further along you get.

Keep your eye on the goal, lad,
 Never despair or drop;
Be sure your path leads upwards—
 There's always room at the top.

DEAR CHILDREN: In No. 4 EVANGELIST, the treasurer, (your Aunt Lottie) asks for suggestions as to the disposal of the Dew Drop fund, now at Ashland, Ohio.

In its infancy, as a large work cannot be done with it, my say in this matter is to use it the first good opportunity as in the following examples; administer to the wants of the afflicted; feed the hungry; clothe the poor and needy; furnish neccessary books to struggling children; send the paper to the poor. Any and all of these examples are worthy and can be readily attended to. Such a disposition of this little fund is to teach you, dear children, in the way of sympathy, love, mercy, charity and self denial. And that you the "Buds of Promise,"may be stimulated and encouraged in good works, the older ones should assist you by example and precept.

Thus far, dear children you have done well; and your little contributions and noble acts have endeared each one to me. When I saw your mites, weekly cast into the treasury, I could not refrain from saying: "God keep those children!" Your interested friend, JULIA A. WOOD.

Bremo Bluff, Va.

About the Child Jesus.

A great many things connected with Jesus when he was a boy we know nothing at all about. But the scriptures tell us one thing about Jesus which we may be sure is true. I cannot tell you whether Jesus was a tall boy, whether he was a pale-faced or rosy-cheeked boy. But there is one thing more important than all these put together that I can tell you: it is this,—Jesus was an obedidient boy.

He went down to Nazereth with his parents and he was "subject unto them." He was twelve years old at the time this was said of him. He had been obeying his parents there for twelve years. He kept on obeying them after this for eighteen years longer. Some children think that when they get to be eighteen or twenty, they are too old to obey, and have a right to do just what they please. But Jesus did not think so. He obeyed his parents till he was twenty-one years of age, and he did not stop then, but went on obeying them for nine years longer.—DR. NEWTON.

Outdone by a Boy.

A lad in Boston, rather small for his years, works in an office as errand boy for four gentlemen who do business there. One day the gentlemen were chaffing him about being so small, and said to him,

"You never will amount to much; you never can do much business; you are too small." The little fellow looked at them.

"Well," said he, "as small as I am I can do something which none of you four men can do."

"Ah! what is that?

"I don't know as I ought to tell you," he replied. But they were anxious to know, and urged him to tell what he could do that none of them were able to do.

"*I can keep from swearing!*" said the little fellow. There were some blushes on four manly faces, and there seemed to be very little anxiety for further information on the point.—SEL.

LET GIRLS LEARN—To be pure in mind and heart.

To be modest in demeanor.

To help at home.

To be followers of Christ.

And then there are less vital things that they should learn, as—

To sew neatly.

To do simple cooking.

To buy with economy.

To dress with taste.

To read aloud well.

There are many other useful and ornamental accomplishments within the reach of most girls, but those which we have given above are indispensable.—OUR MONTHLY.

Our Letter Box.

DEAR LOTTIE: I thought I would try and write a letter to you for the children's column in the EVANGELIST. This is my first letter that I ever tried to write. I love to read the letters in the children's column, I go to school to Mount Vernon school house. Mr. T. P. Brown is my teacher. I like to go to school. I study reading, writing, spelling and geography. Father takes the EVANGELIST. Father and Mother are members of the Brethren church. I have two brothers and two sisters. I am the oldest. Cousin Albert Friskey died last night. He is about six years old. Later.—Cousin Fannie May Fiskey died the 11th. They are brother and sister. They died of Diptheria. I will close for the present, hoping to hear from you all soon.

JOHN W. THOMPSON.

Harrisonburg, Va.

DEAR LOTTIE: I have been reading the EVANGELIST this bright Sunday morning and think it is nicer to read than any other paper I read. I think that all of the boys and girls ought to take pleasure in writing for the EVANGELIST. This is my first effort at writing for the paper. The weather has been real cold this year. When I write again I will try and ask a question. Your's

LULU FAIDLEY.

DEAR EDITOR: Since you were so kind as to publish my little item and ask me to write again I will try to do so. This time I will give you a few items of church news. Our church here at Edna was organized last fall and is prospering nicely. We now number forty-five and have preaching regularly every four weeks. Pa preaches here and at Auburn, Illinois, alternately. During his last visit to Auburn several united with the church there, and during the last Sunday's meetings three united with the church here, one by baptism, one by relation, and one candidate. My only brother just thirteen years of age is now a candidate for baptism. Taking sore throat last Saturday prevents me from attending school. We have a kind teacher, by name, John Allen Miller. I like to go to school and am trying to learn.

LIZZIE SWIHART.

DEAR LOTTIE; I will again write you a few lines for the paper. Our Spring term of school has begun, and I am going to school. I study all the common school studies. I have a good ways to school. The snow is very deep now. We did not get the EVANGELIST this week. I will send another poem, it may please some and it may not please some. I think it is a very good piece of advice. Sometime in the future I may write again.

LAURA E. CRAMER.

Shore, Ind.

Your poem is a good one but it is rather long and not altogether suited to our columns. We agree with you that the advice given in it, that drunkeness should not be encouraged, is good advice.

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Leave	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	a. m.
Chicago	*5 10	8 10	*11 10	*8 45	
Garrett	9 23	1 42	4 36	1 50	
Defiance	10 33	3 05	5 59		
Deshler	11 13	4 03	6 50		
Fostoria	11 53	5 00			
	am		7 41		
Chicago Junction	12 54	6 20	8 55		
Sandusky	8 55				
Sandusky		†4 50	7 25		
Chicago Junction	1 00	6 30	9 10		
Mansfield	1 44	8 10	10 15		†4 58
Lexington		8 29	10 37		5 12
Newark	3 23	10 20	12 30	9& 11	7 10
Columbus Arrive	5 10	11 30	2 40		8 40
Columbus Leave	2 30	9 10	11 40	†5 00	
Newark	3 30	10 40	12 55	6 40	
Zanesville	4 11	11 40	1 58	6 44	
Cambridge	5 01	12 36	3	7 47	
Bellaire	6 40	2 47	5 06	10 01	
Pittsburg	12 05	8 14			
Grafton	11 04	pm	10 16		
Cumberland	2 40	2 40	2 30a		
Washington	7 00	7 00	7 20		
Baltimore	8 00	8	8 30		

WEST BOUND.

	No. 4.	No. 6.	No. 2.	No. 10.	No. 12
Leave	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Baltimore	*8 00	*8 00	*9 00		
Washington	9 00	8 00	10 10		
Cumberland	1 19	2 43	2 43a		
Grafton	4 53	6 25	6 52		
Pittsburg	3 45	a m			
Wheeling.	7 30	10 40	9 40		†4 05
Bellaire	7 13	†11 38	9 35		3 45
Cambridge	8 46	1 51	11 23		6 2
Zanesville	9 35	2 43	1228p	†6 10	7
Newark Ar	10 15	3 33	1 20	7 03	No. 8.
Columbus Arrive	11 30	5 10	2 40	8 40	P. M.
Leave	8 15	2 30	11 40a		4 30
Newark Leave	10 25	3 45	1 40p		6 41
Mansfield	12 16	6	4 08		9 10
Ar Chicago Junction	1 05	7	4 55		
Sandusky Arrive		8 55	6 30		
Sandusky Leave			†4 50		
Lv Chicago Junction	1 10	*8 20	*6 25		
Fostoria	2 08	9 41	7 51		
Deshler	3 50	10 55	8 51		
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Ashland	1 42pm	8 18am	9 49pm	5 11am
Akron	3 11	11 50pm	11 43	7 15
Kent	3 35	12 45	12 10am	8 06
Ravenna	3 45		12 22	8 13
Arrive.				
Leavitsbrg	4 20		1 00am	9 00
Cleveland	6 30			
Youngstwn	5 00		2 00	9 55
Pittsburg	7 50		5 55	12 45pm
Warren Dp	4 32		1 12	9 15am
Greenville.	5 37		2 30	10 27
Arrive.				
Meadville	6 30		3 25	11 25
Leave				
Meadville	6 45		3 35	
Union City	7 38		4 37	12 50pm
Corry	7 58		5 00	1 15
Jamestow	8 47		5 57	2 12
Arr ive				
Salamanc	9 45		7 10	3 15
Buffalo			10 00am	5 45
Nigra Falls			11 50	8 15
Rochester			12 05pm	8 20
Elmira	1 47am		12 40	8 05
Bingamptn	3 30am		2 15	10 05
Albany	1 20pm			6 00am
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STATIONS.	No 1	No 3	No 5	No 11
Leave				
Ashland	7 56am	8 15pm	2 00pm	6 03pm
Mansfield	8 35	9 00	2 30	7 10
Arrive				
Chicago	....	7 50am	....	
Leave				
Galion	9 17	9 50pm	3 05	8 05
Marion	9 58	10 36	3 40	
Arrive				
Chicago	8 05pm	8 20am	....	
Leave				
Urbana	11 59	1 10am	5 03	
Springfield	12 28	1 59	5 29	
Arrive				
Dayton	1 15	3 10	6 10	
Cincinnati	3 40	5 30	8 15	
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Lima	12 01pm	12 09am	8 28	10 40
Decatur	1 28	1 43		3 30
Hunt'ton	2 40	2 50		4 10
" "	2 55	2 55		5 00am
Bolivar	3 28	3 30		6 30
Rochester	4 15	4 19		9 00
No.Judson	5 16	5 24		12 24pm
Crown P	6 30	6 33		3 20
Chicago	8 05pm	8 20		6 20

EASTWARD.

Stations.	N. Y. Expre's	Atlan'c Expre's	Marion Accom.	Way Freight
Chicago	8 40am	5 06pm		
Crown P	10 14	7 00		8 23am
No Judson	11 23	8 06		11 23
Rochester	12 34pm	9 06		2 30pm
Bolivar	1 23	9 32		4 25
Hunt'ton	2 00	10 25		5 50
" "	2 15	10 30		8 05am
Decatur	3 30	11 32		8 50
Lima	5 11	1 00am	8 03am	1 30pm
Marion	7 10	2 40	10 00	6 15

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